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New U.S. Patent Application  
Title: ANDOE MONITORING AND SUBSEA PIPELINE POWER  
TRANSMISSION  
being a Continuation-in-Part of PCT International  
Application No. PCT/GB00/02493 filed June 23, 2000  
Inventor: Steven Martin HUDSON

Dear Sirs:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a **Continuation-in-Part** application of PCT International Application No. PCT/GB00/02493 filed June 23, 2000, which claimed priority of Great Britain Patent Application No. 9916410.5. filed July 13, 1999, and Great Britain Patent Application No. 0100104.9, filed January 3, 2001.

1. Application 36 pages, including 9 independent claims and 25 claims total.
2. Preliminary Amendment.
3. Drawings 3 sheets of drawings containing 3 figures.
4. Declaration and Power of Attorney
5. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Flight Refuelling Limited
6. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with 2 documents attached.
7. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee					\$740	\$740.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	25	-	20	5	x \$18	90.00
Independent Claims	9	-	3	6	x \$84	504.00
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TOTAL APPLICATION FILING FEE						\$ 1334.00

8. A check for \$1374.00 is enclosed. The fee includes:

\$740.00 filing fee;  
\$594.00 additional claims fee; and  
\$40.00 Assignment recordation fee.

Applicant claims the right to priority based on Great Britain Patent Application No. 9916410.5, filed July 13, 1999, and Great Britain Patent Application No. 0100104.9, filed January 3, 2001.

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Please accord this application a serial number and filing date and record and return the Assignment to the undersigned.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Sincerely,  
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